Amendments to the Specification:

Please **insert** the enclosed Sequence Listing into the present specification.

Please replace paragraph 164, in its entirety, with the following:

[00164] Active recombinant N-terminus his-tagged AKT-1/PKBα kinase obtained from Sf21 cells (UBI # 14-276; 50-100 ng; 19-38 nM; about 4.5-9 mU) is incubated in 25 millimolar (mM) Tris pH 7.6; 5 mM Beta-glycerophosphate; 2 mM dithiothreitol (DTT); 100 micromolar (μM) sodium vanadate; and 10 mM magnesium chloride (MgCl₂). The final reaction volume is 40 microliters (μl). The reaction mixture is incubated in a 96-well Pierce REACTI-BIND streptavidin-coated high binding capacity coated white plate (Pierce # 15502) coated with saturating amounts of biotinylated Crosstide peptide (UBI #12-385; biotin-KGSGSGRPRTSSFAEG (SEQ ID NO:1); 50 picomoles (pmoles); about 1.25 μM) and initiated with the addition of 2.5 microcurie (μCi) ³²P-gamma-ATP (specific activity 3000 Ci/mmole; 10 mCi/ml; about 21 nanomolar (nM)). Compounds are initially tested in duplicate wells for determination of initial IC₅₀ inhibition in half log serial dilutions starting at 100 uM with a final concentration of 2% dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO). Following a 30 min (minutes) incubation at 30°C, the reaction is stopped by aspiration tested 4 x 100 ul washes with TBS plus 0.05% Tween-20 prior to addition of 100 μl scintillant and counting in a Beckman TopCount instrument.